Delaware City, Delaware – Job Posting Title: Social Media & Communication/Customer Service Part-Time

Effective October 29, 2018

### Job purpose

This is an administrative support position within the organization that will be expected to perform a **wide range of local government customer service functions** while also serving the roll of **social media and communication lead** for our organization and progressive and growing community.

## **Duties and responsibilities**

- Serves as front line customer service representative answering phones and addressing visitors to our office – in an engaged and friendly manner.
- Assists organization in addressing the varied needs of the community with professionalism and curtesy to both internal and external customers and peers.
- **Serves as problem solver and takes responsibility** for providing accurate and timely information and/or responses.
- Completes routine office tasks as assigned and understands timelines and task completion.
- Seeks to be an integral part of our organization through a high level of engagement and interest.
- Assists with the preparation of internal and external communications for dissemination and associated with all public relations activities.
- Maintains City communication outlets including but not limited to our website, newsletter, Facebook, twitter, etc.
- Promotes a positive image of the City through these efforts at all times.
- Attends City Council Meetings and other meetings, programs and events at the direction of the City Manager.
- Working hours subject to modification, with notice, to best meet the needs of organizational and position goals.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

# **Employment Standards/Experience**

 General knowledge of principles and practices of the field of public relations.

- Demonstrated ability and proficiency in the use of Microsoft Office, website administration and desktop publishing.
- Ability to develop attractive promotions, documents and other communication materials.
- Possess the physical skills to perform the duties of the position.
- **Strong interpersonal skills** to foster and maintain effective working relationships with city employees, elected officials and the general public.
- The ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.
- Display good judgement, integrity, thoroughness and dependability.
- Possession of a valid drivers license and good driving record.
- Ability to take direction and work independently on goals.
- Any combination of experience, education and/or training deemed to provide the minimum desirable employment standards.
- Highly creative and productive, self-starter on daily work tasks.
- Equivalent experience and training will be considered.

### **Working conditions**

Working conditions are primarily that of an office with some regular out of doors and program/event support work. Deadlines, accuracy and timeliness of work completion common to communication and public relations tasks will be regular occurrences.

### Physical requirements

Ability to sit, stand and operate typical office machinery for extended periods of time in an office environment. Ability to lift (overhead at times) carry related materials/parts of at least 25 pounds while utilizing proper safety measures. Ability to type on a keyboard, use a mouse and view monitors/smaller screens for an extended period of time in an office setting or at events/programs.

Interested candidates with the skills and training noted above should submit their resume by November 12, 2018 to:

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